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PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 3762**

Attorney's Docket No. 5656-28

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re: Zheng et al. Art Unit: 3762  
Serial No. 10/087,340 Examiner: Jeffrey Jastrzab  
Filed: March 1, 2002 Confirmation No.: 5048  
For: INTER-ATRIAL SEPTUM OR SUPERIOR VENA CAVA ELECTRODES FOR  
ATRIAL DEFIBRILLATION

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

Applicant provides the present Amendment to address the issues raised in the Final Office Action mailed June 3, 2005 (the "Action").

If any extension of time for the accompanying response or submission is required, Applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee, which may be required, or credit any refund, to Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 below.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 below.